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**UNITED STATES DISTRICT COURT  
NORTHERN DISTRICT OF CALIFORNIA**

LARRY BOWOTO, et. al.

Plaintiffs,

v.

CHEVRONTEXACO CORPORATION, et  
al.,

Defendants.

**Case No. C-99-2506-SI**

**PARTIES STIPULATION REGARDING  
BRIEFING SCHEDULE FOR PLAINTIFFS'  
MOTION FOR NEW TRIAL UNDER RULE  
59(a) AND RENEWED MOTION FOR  
JUDGMENT AS A MATTER OF LAW**

WHEREAS, Plaintiffs have noticed their Motion for New Trial Under Rule 59(a) and  
Renewed Motion for Judgment as a Matter of Law for hearing in this Court on February 6, 2009;

WHEREAS, Plaintiffs filed their moving papers on December 16, 2008 and Defendants  
filed their opposition brief on January 16, 2008;

WHEREAS, absent an extension, Plaintiffs' reply brief is due on January 23, 2009;

WHEREAS, Plaintiffs maintain that given the complicated nature of the issues in this case and the volume of materials cited in Defendants' opposition brief, Plaintiffs require more time to work on their reply brief;

WHEREAS, Plaintiffs requested, and defendants agreed to, an extension of time for Plaintiffs to file their reply brief from January 23, 2009 to February 6, 2009 (two weeks);

WHEREAS, a February 6, 2009 due date for the reply brief would ordinarily correspond to a February 20, hearing date, and the parties all desire that this matter to be set for hearing on February 20 or as soon thereafter as possible;

THE PARTIES HEREBY STIPULATE THAT:

1. The deadline for filing Plaintiffs' Reply will be February 6, 2009.
2. The hearing shall be scheduled for March 6, 2009.

DATED: January 21, 2009

JONES DAY

By:                     //s//                      
Lara Kollios  
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DATED: January 21, 2009

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IT IS SO ORDERED.

DATED: January \_\_, 2009

By:   
The Hon. Susan Illston  
United States District Court Judge